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Residents put forward views on the 'big issues'



■ WEYMOUTH, Portland and West Dorset principal planning officer Adrian Welsh explains the local plan

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Unit 10 + 11, Granby Court, Surrey Close, Granby Industrial Estate, Weymouth, Dorset, DT4 9XB WEYMOUTH and Portland residents flocked to attend two vital public meetings into the biggest proposed changes to Dorset's planning strategy for several decades.

The first consultation on the proposed Weymouth, Portland and West Dorset Local Plan attracted more than 140 people when it was held at the St George's Centre on Portland.

Key island issues included the future development of Portland Port and its role as a marine employment site of national and international importance.

Other issues included sustainable tourism such as water sports, climbing, walking and bird watching and maximising the potential of existing major employment sites while capitalising on environmental and heritage assets such as Sites of Special Scientific Interest and Portland

Among early visitors to the centre was Portland Community Partnership chairman Andy Matthews who said: "This event was critically important for the people of Portland because it was our chance to put forward our views on our fu-

"Transport infrastructure is a big issue and we want the Local Plan to have joined up thinking about this with other issues such as employment."

A similar Local Plan meeting attracted more than

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200 people when it was held the next day at Redlands Community Sports Hub in Weymouth.

Key issues there included proposals for 400 homes at Wey Valley, the future development and regeneration of Weymouth town centre, 500 homes proposed for Markham and Little Francis, 850 new homes as part of the Chickerell urban extension and another 500 homes and employment land for expansion at Littlemoor.

Another aspect of the plan was the Tumbledown Farm proposal off Radipole Lane which includes cemetery uses, allotments, community food provision and nature conservation.

Among visitors at this venue was Jan Hinton who said: "The proposal for 400 homes at Wey Valley is frightening while Littlemoor's expansion is even

"They might plan a new first school there but the community centre and the doctor's surgery will never cope with the increase in residents and neither will the buses."

Weymouth, Portland and West Dorset principal planning officer Adrian Welsh said: "These two events and nine other similar meetings gave people a chance to come in, see the draft Local Plan proposals and comment on them.

"We will then look at those comments, give our own views on them and send them to the Government for an inspector to consider public comments and councils' response to them.

"An inspector will then hold a public examination of the draft Local Plan and comments on it. If all goes well, the Local Plan could be adopted by autumn 2013."



■ GILL Patterson and Jan Hinton (centre) talk about the Local Plan with county highways engineer lan Madgwick

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STUART Truelove and his wife Lorrie manage Everycare Wessex, which is based in Dorchester. The company provides nursing and care staff throughout the region.

Here Stuart talks about his reasons for working in the care sector and what makes Everycare such a popular service provider, for clients and staff alike.

Stuart Is 66 years old and lives near Cattis-

HOW did you end up running a nursing and care services company?

Until about the age of 50, I worked in the property industry, firstly in architecture and then as a project manager. I finally ended up as a director of a plc.

My wife and I decided upon a lifestyle change and moved to Dorset 17 years ago, with the intention of starting our own business, but at the time we did not know what. We started the business in 1997 by buying a franchise, enabling us to benefit from the skills and knowledge base of an established organisation.

WHAT drew you towards an interest in care services?

I got into care work as a result of my parents approaching the end of their lives. A search for a suitable care home for my mother, by then suffering from dementia, opened my eyes to the care industry and the huge variation in the quality of care that was available.

WHAT makes Everycare a good service provider? It is down to a combination of quality, reliability and having a great team of employees. Neither my wife nor I could ever be satisfied unless we sincerely believed that we were doing our utmost to be the very best at

For some elements of our service we are effectively an emergency service, and by this I mean that when for instance a hospital contacts us for cover staff, they will have already striven to resolve any staff shortages internally. So if they book our staff, and we were to let them down in some way, they have very few options left to them to resolve the matter.

WHAT is your mantra?

'Never let the customer down!'

■ WHAT gives you the greatest sense of job satis-

We are a family led business, often intimately involved with the families of those for whom we care, and that gives great job satisfaction. But most of all I love the fact that it is a people business, both in respect of our staff



■ WHAT kind of feedback do you get from your clients?

We get a lot of positive feedback from our clients, both corporate and private. We are required by legislation to have a robust quality assurance system, but often the most welcome feedback of all is the unsolicited letters of thanks that we receive, very often from the families of those for whom we have cared.

Some of the letters can be intensely moving, and we always ensure that the staff who actually delivered the care get the thanks

■ WHAT skills or experience do people need in order to work for Everycare?

Basically nothing other than having a caring nature. Many of our staff join us as novices, and we have a superb training regime that gives them the confidence and knowledge they need. We have had a few who have started with us as a care assistant, then progressed to being a health care assistant (working in care homes and hospitals), and who have then gone on to undergo their nurse training.

■ HOW many staff do you employ?

We employ approximately 130 staff, ranging from registered nurses, health care assistants and community care assistants.

■ WHAT would you do if you won the lottery?

Depends how much. Let us pretend it is mega-millions, in which case I would settle sufficient upon my two daughters to ensure their financial stability for life, and probably buy a super yacht and a holiday home somewhere in Provence.

But I would also set up a Dorset Dementia Centre as a charity, with its main aim being to continually gather in the very best knowledge and training from around the World and disseminate the benefits to sufferers, their families and carers in Dorset.

■ WHAT else do you get up to?

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I am vice-chairman of the Bournemouth, Dorset & Poole Care Providers Association. My main hobby is sailing and I am vice commodore of Portland Yacht Club. Mundane as it may seem, I also love gardening.

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Worried residents enlist help of MP over future of Marsh

Richard Drax has pledged to help worried residents get reassurance about the future of the Marsh playing fields in Weymouth.

Concerns have been

growing that some form of future development may be planned for the site ever since Weymouth and Portland council refused to nominate the Marsh for Queen Elizabeth II Fields

Campaigners say the council has no right to ever consider development because the playing area was granted to the town as playing fields in perpetuity under a Deed of Covenant which is still active.

Management committee chairman Councillor Mike Goodman defended the council's QEFC decision and said: "There is no conspiracy. We chose not to ask for the Marsh to be designated under the QEFC but instead to nominate other sites including Red-

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lands and The Grove.

"The facilities at the Marsh, although valuable, are duplicated elsewhere in the borough and there is no plan to upgrade sports facil-ities there because we have already gone into partnership with Weymouth College and Wey Valley School to do that at Redlands.

"I don't know what the future of the Marsh is. The current Local Plan, which is out for public consultation, designates the Marsh as public open space for recreation for at least the next 20 years, so it is a little early to start talking about protecting it from development, particularly as it is a strucdifficult place. That's why it is called the Marsh.'

But residents remain unconvinced and they met Mr Drax at the Marsh to air their concerns where campaigner Michael Wheller said: "Past experience has shown that council promises are not worth the paper they are printed on.

"They tried to bring in a major development for a new football club and a supermarket in 1985 and only dropped that when they discovered that the Marsh was protected by a Deed of Covenenant.

"We now have a petition signed by more than 1,100 people and all it asks is for the council to agree to full consultation before making any decision on the Marsh. That is all we are asking for and I don't see how the council can refuse.

Fellow campaigner Ann Axenskold said: "It would be morally wrong to build on this open green piece of land which is protected by a Deed of Covenant dated

Weymouth St Paul's Harriers and Athletics Club president Anthony Faulkner said: "The Marsh facilities may not be brilliant but they are vital to the club because the nearest hammer cage to the Marsh is Poole or Yeovil.

"Other facilities there are equally important and we would be dead against any proposal to build on the

Others said 13 playing pitches had already been lost across Weymouth in recent years, four more were under threat and there was clearly a shortage of playing pitches while the Marsh's poor state had forced a school sports day there to be cancelled just hours before.

Past Dorset Amateur Athletics Association president John Hawthorne described the Marsh as "an unusable fossil track" which forced youngsters to go to Poole for "the nearest proper athletics track"

He added that there were plans to develop a track at the Marsh 20 years ago but nothing had been done to the site.

Mr Hawthorne said: "Dorset is the only administrative county in the country which has no athletics

Mr Drax told campaigners: "This is clearly meant to be a sports facility, there is a covenant in force which says it should be and I am a little baffled that the council is not telling residents what the long term plans are. I will do my best to assure residents that the covenant will be followed.



Richard Drax meets campaigners at The

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Flying Jurassic Airlines

DORSET-BASED innovator Richard Hartnell, whose Jurassic Airlines experience was a huge hit at the launch of the Jurassic Coast Earth Festival in May, has spent recent weeks enhancing the flight in the run up to its stay at "Onboard International Airport" in Weymouth to offer passengers the latest in what he describes as 'Ecotainment'.

The 737 flight simulator takes passengers back 250m years in time to fly with dinosaurs, incorporating a humourous narrative from the pilot and co-pilot to explain the history of the Jurassic Coast and raise awareness of the effects of fossil-fuel usage on climate change.

The experience, which had its test flights from the specially built

"Lyme Regis International Airport" in May, had passengers enthusing about its authenticity. On arrival at fast-track check-in, passengers are asked the usual questions about what they may be carrying, but with the emphasis on fossil-fuel-derived products (fleeces, mobile phones etc). They then pass into the departure lounge via the Humiliascan enhanced biometric security scanner before a brief wait for their flight.

During this wait, Jurassic Coast TV entertains and informs, with breaking news from different geological times and mass extinction events. Passengers then board their flights and, after their time-travel safety check, take off on their 15-minute trip back into hyperspace.

With green credentials foremost, the airports and aircraft are constructed with the help of recycled materials designed to minimise the airline's carbon footprint.

"It doesn't stop there either," boasts Hartnell. "Compared to our competitors' 737 fleets, ours burn significantly less fossil fuel to travel immense distances in a fraction of time"

Jurassic Airlines will be flying from Onboard International Airport (in front of the Weymouth Pavilion) from July 26th to September 8th during the Olympic and Paralympic Games.

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Private beach up is for sale in Weymouth

A PRIVATELY-OWNED sandy cove overlooking Portland Harbour in Dorset is set to go under the auctioneer's hammer with a guide price of £65-75,000.

Castle Cove Beach at Old Castle Road, Weymouth, is among 21 lots being auctioned at 11am at The Ageas Bowl near Southampton on Thursday, July 26th.

Rob Marchant, auctioneer, said: "I cannot remember the last time a freehold sandy beach on the south coast came up for sale and I've been doing this for more years than I care to count.

"Castle Cove Beach may well be a lovely location to watch the Olympic sailing events, perhaps with the benefit of binoculars as well.

"We anticipate keen interest from bidders on this, including local families, and it will be a pleasure for them to do the viewings, should the sun ever come out."

A refreshment kiosk is included in the sale. Previous planning consent for eight beach huts/changing cubicles has lapsed.



Wermouth and Portland news

■ EDWARD Leask (left(HRH The Prince of Wales and John Tweed during the Prince's visit to the Weymouth and Portland Sailing Academy

GB Olympic sailors encouraged by visit from the Prince of Wales

THE PRINCE of Wales visited the Weymouth and Portland Sailing Academy (WPNSA) where he toured the Games venue for the sailing competition at the London 2012 Olympic Games and Paralympic Games.

Hosted by chairman of the WPNSA Edward Leask, chief executive John Tweed and Ben Ainslie who is a triple gold medalist as well as a WPNSA director, The Prince of Wales was able to view first-hand the world class sailing venue. This included international summer race event action with the first day of the Musto Skiff World Championships which has attracted over 100 competitors from across the globe.

The Prince also met members of the GB Olympic and Paralympic Sailing Team who will be competing on the waters of Weymouth Bay and Portland Harbour during July and August in order to secure podium positions.

While on site The Prince of Wales was also briefed on the academy's long term goals which includes an active legacy programme, commitment to environmentally friendly practices and an emphasis on ensuring the venue caters for local, national and international sporting events. He was particularly interested in the academy's plans to attract major yachting events to the venue after 2012.

The Prince also met representatives from the Australian and Canadian Olympic Sailing teams.

Edward Leask chairman of the Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy, who toured the award winning sports facilities with The Prince of Wales commented: "We are honoured to have The Prince of Wales spend the morning at the Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy during such an incredibly busy summer of jubilee celebrations; this provides fantastic encouragement for the GB Olympic and Paralympic Sailing Team."

MP urges residents to sign helicopter petition

MP FOR South Dorset Richard Drax has appealed for members of the public to sign the e-petition to save the Portland Coastguard helicopter.

The Search and Rescue helicopter is scheduled to be axed due to budget cuts in 2017. So far, appeals to Prime Minister David Cameron and Secretary of State for Transport Justine Greening, have fallen on deaf ears.

"Just 100,000 signatures on an e-petition significantly raise the chances of a debate in the House," said Mr Drax.

"We must ensure that we do not lose a precious resource like our helicopter, to which so many people owe their lives, without a very grave and public assessment of the consequences.

"I have been told by the Secretary of State that no consultation was undertaken over getting rid of our helicopter because the service was being 'improved.' She has assured me that 10 newer, faster helicopters can do the job previously done by 12. That is debatable. No helicopter can be in two places at once, no matter how fast it is.

"Even the consultants asked to validate the Department of Transport's report said that there were flaws in the analysis. The very least we can do is to make sure that such a drastic move is discussed properly, in the House, by those who have their constituents' interests at heart.

"The savings to the government are negligible; the Portland helicopter costs between £4m and £5m a year. It is estimated that one road crash death costs the public purse £2m. At that rate, with only two lives saved a year, the Portland helicopter is paying for itself

"Swimmers, sailors, divers, fishermen, walkers, holidaymakers – in fact, anyone at all who appreciates and uses our glorious coastline should sign this petition to save our helicopter."

The e-petition, which closes on August 23rd, 2012, can be found at epetitions.direct.gov.uk/petitions30225





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Deputy Mayor Ray Banham and young artist Thomas Myers from Beechcroft School, winner of the paint-acastle competition, performed the honour by cutting the ribbon watched by members of Friends of the Rodwell Trail and Sandsfoot Castle.

Hundreds of people then enjoyed the annual Tudor picnic in the grounds.

David Carter and Tara Gooding representing co-partners Friends of Rodwell Trail and Sandsfoot Castle and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council, in the project to restore the building for public use, handed over the key to the castle to young Thomas Myers who symbolised the future generations who must continue to look after it. Thomas in turn passed the key to Deputy Mayor Ray Banham for safekeeping in the community before cutting the ribbon.

It is hoped that the key and the scale model of the castle will be put on display in the Civic Society's Tudor House. During the day local historian, Gordon LePard, dressed in period clothes, gave guided tours outside and inside the castle on the new walkway with stunning views across the harbour, which is now open to the public throughout the year.

There were displays of Morris dancing by the Sestus Derrimen and Tudor dancing by the Dorchester Historical Dance Group, as well as a variety of period games ranging from Quintain to Aunt Sally

David Carter, chairman of the Friends of Rodwell Trail and Sandsfoot Castle, said: "This is a great day for the friends and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council, who have been working together for four years to give public access to Sandsfoot Castle. We hope that both locals and visitors will be able to enjoy the castle for many generations to come



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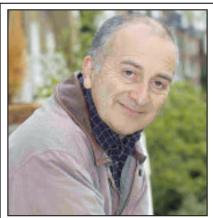
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■ DECLARING THE CASTLE OPEN: (left to right) David Carter - chairman of the Friends of Rodwell Trail and Sandsfoot Castle; Deputy Mayor's Escort - Councillor Pam Nixon; Deputy Mayor - Councillor Ray Banham; Thomas Myers - winner of the paint-a-castle competition; and Tara Gooding - WPBC Parks Department



■ NEW WALKWAY: Now giving free access around Sandsfoot Castle to the public



■ PRESENTER Tony Robinson

Filming in Weymouth

POPULAR presenter and actor Tony Robinson was filming at the Nothe Fort in Weymouth this week.

Mr Robinson was working on a four-part documentary series for Channel 4 entitled "Walking Through History".

The first programme features a walk along the Dorset Coast uncovering and exploring its second world war history.

It is a rugged coastal walk which explores the reaction to the fall of France in 1940 and construction of the defences against invasion, then charting the local history as the tide of war turns against the Nazis, before finishing with the preparations for D-

The walk starts near Abbotsbury with its coastal defences and will probably finish at Fort Henry, Studland, a site associated with Operation Smash, one of the exercises preparing troops for D-Day.

The film company, Wildfire Television are also looking for further information on the importance of Nothe Fort as a naval base and anti-aircraft gun post and ammunition store during WW2.



■ FROM the left are Asda's Jean Whitelaw, Asda Weymouth community life champion Sandy West. Weymouth Old Town Hall Association's Steve Booth, Portland Gig Rowing Club's Martin Brinsley and Helen Lainsbury form Southill's Play Area Recreation for Kids who is receiving her £200 cheque

THREE Weymouth and Portland charities have picked up donations from Weymouth's Asda store as part of its Community Life cam-

Over the past two months shoppers have been asked to vote for which of the three community groups they believe should receive the most support from the store.

Southill Play Park (SPARK) received the most votes and received £200 while Weymouth Old Town Hall and Portland Gig Rowing Club will each receive £50.

A campaign to improve the park was started by Weymouth mums, Helen Lainsbury and Sarah Polkinghorne, who wanted to see better facilities for children in the area.

The park is now part of Southill Preservation Society and the money will be used towards the regeneration of the popular play area.

Asda community life champion Sandy West said: "Our initiative is about getting under the skin of the area and supporting charities, organisations and projects that matter most to the people living here.

"By allowing customers to vote for the charities they want to see receive support from our store, we're ensuring funds are given to organisations which make a difference to the community.

"Shoppers obviously felt Southill Play Park was a worthy cause and in need of the funds, so it's good to know the money is going to something the local community feels passionately about.'

Helen Lainsbury said: "It's been lovely to see such a positive response to our cause and we're so grateful to all the Asda customers who have supported us. The council were unable to help with funds, so we took on the challenge of raising the funds ourselves.

'The donation form Asda will be a step in the right direction in helping to improve the area.'

The next set of voting has already begun in store and shoppers are asked to choose between the Asperger Society, Dorset Blind Association and Rodwell Pre-School over the coming months.

Weymouth weather watch

JUNE - the first month of summer? 2012 has given us the wettest April in our 132 year weather records and followed it up with the wettest June, exceeding the 1980 total by 13.6mm. Never before have we had two record breaking wet months in the same

June also returned extremely poor sunshine totals, only just avoiding the low record set in 1997 by 3 hours 36 minutes.

The 30-year average rainfall for June is 46.4 mm: June 2012 produced 128.8 mm, 277.5 % of the 30year average. The greatest rainfall was 23.8 mm on Thursday 7th June.

Rainfall for 2012 to date is 398.7 mm, 62.0 mm above the 30-year average. Only April and June exceeded the monthly average.

The 30-year average sunshine for June is 225 hours and 18 minutes: June 2012 produced just 141 hours and 12 minutes, 62.7% of the 30-year av-

Fog and sea mists were present on several occasions; thick fog was predominant on the 26th and

Winds during June were around average, with gusts on many days between 20 and 37 MPH, the greatest gust of just 51 MPH recorded on Thursday

The average Mean temperature was exactly average at 14.2 degrees.

The average sea temperature was 4.4 degrees below average at 10.3 degrees.

Canadian approval for holiday business

CANADA'S Olympic board sailing team has christened a series of freshly converted rooms at a new Weymouth holiday business.

The four-star Swallows Rest at Martleaves Farm, Wyke Regis, includes a new five-berth caravan and camping site nestling in33 acres of fields stretching down to the Fleet.

Closer to the farmhouse lies a horse livery yard and riding facility as well as two acres of gardens in which live ducks, chickens and a Vietnamese pot-bellied pig called

The fowls provide fresh eggs every

days for guests at Swallows Nest which can welcome up to 28 people in a series of self-catering units and bed and breakfast rooms which include three brand new rooftop rooms with views over Portland, Chesil Beach and the Fleet.

All this has been achieved by partners Keith Smith and Jane Furlong in just two years.

Keith said: "I look after maintenance and the gardens and Jane does all the cooking.

Jane said: "Everyone here gets fresh cake every day and our guests talk about that more than anything

else! We are very new but our guests have been very complimentary which is extremely encouraging."

Despite the range of on-site attractions available, the couple are now planning to offer a series of art holidays using a summerhouse in the grounds as a studio for lectures and teaching all levels of art.

Keith said: "The views within a few yards of the summerhouse are amazing and a perfect setting for artists, so we hope this idea - which has only been running for a couple of months - will really catch on."



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■ KEITH Smith and Jane Furlong in the new rooftop rooms area at Swallows Nest

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MAYOR Margaret Leicester, Deputy Mayor Ray Banham and Mayor's Consort Ken Leicester with the 500

FIVE hundred deckchairs designed by local people will be lining Weymouth Esplanade this summer.

More than 400 residents of all ages took part in the Olympic Deckchairs project, a unique effort forming part of the 2012 Public Art Commissioning Programme.

Three artists worked with local community groups and schools and held three family workshops at Weymouth College.

Thousands of images and designs were created in the workshops before the artists then selected 150 to print in three different colours based

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on the Jurassic coast, seaside activities and the architecture of the town's Georgian seafront. A further 50 "special" deckchairs brings the number up to 500.

Lyn Kirkland, 51, from Portland said: "I was really excited about being involved in the project. I am thrilled that my work will be available for people to see and enjoy along the seafront and will be part of the Olympic legacy. I can't wait to show my family and friends my designs."

Among early arrivals to try out the deckchairs were Weymouth and Portland Mayor Margaret Leicester and Deputy Mayor Ray Banham.

Mrs Leicester said: "It is something which will put a smile on people's faces for a long time to come."

Mr Banham agreed and said: "I think the deckchairs are absolutely fantastic. I was in on this right from the start and the ideas come up with by local artists of all ages is wonderful. They will last a long time and brighten the seafront for years to

Uniforms for Olympic Ambassadors

WEYMOUTH & Portland's 550 Ambassador volunteers were invited to the Pavilion to collect their new uniforms for the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

Each registered ambassador received two polo shirts, one fleece jumper, one waterproof jacket, one baseball cap, one water bottle and one rucksack for use when they are on duty in Weymouth and

Portland during this summer's sailing events.

Carole Brackley, 59, from Weymouth said: "This is the most amazing thing that's ever happened to Weymouth and Portland.

"The area has come alive. Today, picking up the uniforms it has really kicked up a notch. It's really beginning to happen now and it's wonderful."

Clairemarie Saunders, 39, also

from Weymouth, said: "Being an Ambassador is a once in a lifetime opportunity that nobody will ever get again. It's a great time to meet new people.

"I moved from Poole to Weymouth last year to give me and my daughter a new life. I'll never want to look back or move away from Weymouth. I love it here."



■ DELIGHTED VOLUNTEERS: Carole Brackley from Weymouth, Vicky Spence from Poole, Clairemarie Saunders from Weymouth and Sandy West from Portland

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Taking the ale trail

PUBS in Weymouth have teamed up with Ringwood Brewery to offer the town an ale trail for the second year run-

Ten pubs are taking part in the two-month trail which ends on August 31st.

Drinkers will collect the official ale trail stamp maps and once they've got a stamp from every pub they can then redeem their card in exchange for an official t-shirt at the Ringwood Brewery Store.

Beer and culture vultures will start the trail at the The • Boot in High West Street, picking up stamps in each pub as

fields used for car parking and people had they go. They then move on to The Nothe Tavern in Barrack Road, over the bridge to The Globe Inn in East Street, • Chapelhay Tavern in Franchise Street, The Rock in Abbotsbury Road, The Swan in St. Thomas Street, Wellington Arms other attractions to entertain visitors from in St. Alban Street, The Weatherbury in Carlton Road North, live music and singing to demonstrations The Duke of Cornwall in St. Edmund Street before finishing off back on St. Thomas Street at the The William Henry.

Sun shines on Sutton

and sunshine blazed down on the ever popular Sutton Poyntz Victorian Street Favre.

Torrential rain had forced the closure of to walk in, but scores of stalls still did brisk business and there were a host of other attractions to entertain visitors from of traditional country crafts such as

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Tables were loaded with everything from books and burgers to plants and pottery and everywhere there were people strolling about in Victorian costume or running a variety of stalls from tombola to draws, cakes and crafts.

Organiser Guy Bridge said: "Last year we raised £16,000, but we had huge car

parking problems this year so we don't expect to make as much.

That said, we are so grateful for the massive support from people who took the trouble to walk in and see us. The crowds here were amazing, the sun shone and what more could we have asked for

"Money from the event will go towards Water Aid and a variety of other charities such as Julia's House.



val will celebrate its return in 2012 (7th & 8th Ayton, local Olympic gold medal winner opening the event. With the London 2012 Olympic & Paralympic sailing events taking place in Weymouth & Portland, the Dorset Seafood Festival is set to embrace this oncein-a-lifetime historic event. The Dorset Seafood Festival 2012 will be the most ambi-

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The Dorset Seafood Festival 2012 will once again animate the beautifully picturesque and historic setting of Weymouth harbour and due to popular demand will extend out to the Wey-

court to accommodate over 80 stalls. **Pommery** Champagne corks will be popping once again as the festival's title sponsor, oysters will be shucked and an array of fresh seafood and fish dishes will be prepared across this vast range of festival

Celebrity chefs will also be in abundance, sharing their top culinary tips on the demonstration stages, located on either side of the harbour during this two-day event. The 2012 line up will include; Mark Hix, Mitch Tonks, Mat Follas, Ashlev Palmer-Watts,

Lesley Waters and River Cottage's famous forager John Wright.

But it's not all gastronomy; there will be attractions and features for those whose palates are not pescetarian. A diving tank attraction will showcase the skills of the Historical Diving Society, touch pools with different species of fish and crustaceans will keep children and marine-lovers entertained, and the annual Weird Fish Across the Harbour Swim will kick start the festival at 10.30am on Saturday 7th July.

'Dorset Seafood Festival is one the most well attended events around 50,000 visitors in 2011. With the London 2012 Olympic & Paralympic Games sailing events taking place here this year we want to make the 2012 Dorset Seafood Festival a truly memorable event for the locals, visitors and all the people who are involved in it creation. 2012 is the year to be in Dorset and we are proud to be holding one of the largest seafood festivals in the UK here once again.' said Brian Cooper, Dorset Seafood Festival committee member.



■ PERFECT Presents with Pam Dawson-Hollis (left) and Louise Sheaves







■ PAUL Nicholson

Unique recipes to raise funds

PEOPLE are being made to lick their lips for charity with a tasty new recipe book.

The Sutton Povntz Recipe Book is the idea of Pam Dawson-Hollis and her friend, Maureen Morris.

Pam said: "This brand new book contains many delightful and unique recipes contributed by Sutton Poyntz village res-

"Some have been passed down through the generations while others are favourites gleaned from friends and various sources, indeed various countries! All manner of food is represented starters, mains, desserts, tea time treats and the thrilling Bits and Bobs.

"One astonishing recipe, contributed by the Portland Coastal Watch Team, is called Impossible Pie and explains how a blended mixture of ingredients will magically arrange themselves to produce a layered dessert - complete with topping!

"We decided that a village recipe book would be a fun way to raise money for the Sutton Poyntz Victorian Street Fayre charities fund.

"This fund has been active for 20 years now. It continues to support some familiar charities such as Julia's House, Local Cardiac Support Team, CLIC Sargent for children with cancer, Help for Heroes and Water Aid. After each event, new charities are considered by the committee, so the list of beneficiaries changes."

The book is now on sale for £3.50 from The Springhead Pub and also from Chalbury Food and Wine which kindly sponsored its production.

Poyntz street fayre



SARAH Breaks (centre) on the colourful red, white and blue cake stall





■ DORSET For Singing perform



■ CROWDS flocked to the fayre

The Christian Column

AS I SEE IT ...

by Geoff Treleaven

Many neighbours

THE layouts of adjoining properties where I live mean that I actually have six neighbours.

That is, two on each side and two at the bottom of the garden. Naturally, we know some better than others, but I hope they all regard us as good

There is a well known Bible story of one described as "The Good Samaritan". Jesus told it in answer to the question: "Who is my neighbour?"

Whilst a wounded person lay by the roadside, two people who should have helped chose to pass by on the other side.

It was someone they would have despised who showed compassion. The point of the story is that we are told to go and do likewise.

Not long ago, I was trying to read my water meter. As it was a long way down, I knelt on the pavement to get a better view. To my surprise an unknown gentleman came to see if I was hurt. He thought I might have fallen over. Actually it was whilst he was passing by on the other side of the road that he saw me, turned his car round and came

What an example to us all!

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The Mill Café & Supper Club

SINCE Stefano arrived in Lyme Regis in April, it has hardly stopped raining and you'd think he would be sorely missing the warmer climes of his native Italy. Not a bit of it. Stefano has been too busy opening his café at the Town Mill to think about the weather. He was keen to set up an informal relationship with his neighbours at the Town Mill galleries and the door between them has been open from day one.

This philosophy extends to the cooking which is a relaxed combination of lunch time snacks, fabulous homemade cakes and informal Italian suppers. Stefano likes simple flavours where the ingredients sourced locally whenever possible - can speak for themselves. An opening dish of grated new season radishes with top-quality olive oil and homemade bread served in the café this week was typical. 'Food should taste of what it is,' says Stefano who has cooked in London and in Milan. 'In a way there is no such thing as Italian food as it is so regional. My cooking is inspired by the food of Emilia Romagna, Piedmont, Venice. But the one thing they all have in common is that in Italy eating is about family, sharing good times, laughter. We get all that in the supper evenings.'

Stefano has written two cookery books - one of them called English Puddings. 'I try to sneak English puddings into my Italian suppers,' he says. 'I just can't help myself. They're so good.'



Montien Thai Restaurant

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James has been head chef at Montien for 6 years, having trained in Thailand and cooked in an inner city hotel. James uses a variety of spices and fresh herbs, including; garlic, chilli, coriander and lemon grass, which give Thai dishes a distinctive taste.

Thai food can be pungent and spicy, but you can indicate your preference for mild, medium, or very hot, and James will cook it to your taste. As well as this vegetarian dishes can also be prepared to replace any dishes in the

James's favourite dishes to cook include Chilli pasta fire. sweet and sour, green curry, and massamun curry. With take away and home delivery also available, why not try the delights of Montien for yourself?

The Riverside Restaurant



TONY Shaw is the Head Chef at the Riverside Restaurant, West Bay where he has worked for the last 6 years being promoted to Head Chef in May 2012. He lives in Beaminster with his partner Natalie and their son Harley and new baby girl Eva. Tony trained at Weymouth College and did his apprenticeship at the Bridge House Hotel in Beaminster, where he worked as Chef de Partie before joining the Riverside.

Tony has a strong passion for cooking seasonal, fresh, local produce and creating innovative menus that excite the palate. He enjoys being inventive with new and different produce that some people might not have tried before, and describes his cooking style as 'clean, vibrant and full of flavour'. Tony says 'I love being able to create dishes from produce that I have on the doorstep.. I am particularly privileged to be able to take fresh fish straight out of Lyme Bay and have on the plate within a few hours. Mostly I keep the accompaniments and garnishes with the local seafood as clean and simple as possible to accentuate the texture and flavour of the

His signature dish at the moment is 'Pan Fried Lyme Bay Scallops with cider braised pork belly, thyme roasted butternut squash puree and crispy pancetta'. Of course using all locally sourced ingredients!

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Weymouth Matters

A personal View by HARRY WALTON

a bottle of fizz

ANY shred of doubt that Olympic security is going to be fierce has been dispelled by this incredible tale related to me by a Weymouth diabetic.

He is a keen sportsman and decided that a visit to try and see Olympic test events such as hockey would be a great way to get into the Olympic spirit.

So off he went to London and he was soon at the test venue, but he found himself spending a lot of time waiting to be allowed to go further into the

In fact he found his progress halted an unbelievable five times for serious consultations because of security concerns over his belongings before some official finally decided that perhaps the man was not a threat to national security and let him in.

Now you may be curious to know what it was that five times triggered such suspicion. Incredibly it was a small bottle of a well known energy drink that the man had taken with him because of his diabetes!

So the message is clear. Anyone carrying an innocuous object such as this bottle can potentially expect big delays getting in to Olympic events and if you're heavily armed with bangers and mash, pop corn or any other "suspect" explosive device then you might just get in for the closing cere-

Fierce security over Well, blow me down

try and explain away Weymouth's chronic traffic and development problems.

Local politicians are understandably touchy about this in an Olympic year but, for all the pressure on them, none has so far plumbed the depths of stupidity to the extent that they are a serious rival for the Government's Immigration Minister Damian Green.

Believe it or not he attempted to explain away the length of time non-European passengers are waiting to have their passports checked at airports by saying it could depend on which direction the wind is blowing at the time!

Could we perhaps have stumbled on the reason for Weymouth's crumbling harbour walls, empty shops and less than intelligent can be blamed on gale force winds up the Channel or should we try to retain our grasp on reality even if the Government cannot.

I'm afraid that those troubles like the Government - won't go away for a long while, but at least most of our local politicians concentrate on politics and not a parallel career as a stand up comic like

There really is no bright side

REMEMBER when it was possible to be warm and get a tan during the so-called English summer?

That is certainly not the case this year which has just had the wettest June in Weymouth since records began way back in 1880 on top of the wettest ever April.

As we all huddle for shelter under umbrellas or copies of Monsoon Monthly, it is as well to remember that March was fantastic and that autumn last year was not too dusty either, so what has happened to our summer sizzlers?

Well, if the experts can be believed, there may be a slow change to shoulder season sunshine as various aspects of global warming make themselves felt. This could also include a trend towards colder

mer rain could become more likely and winters could be getting colder....erh....forget what I said. There isn't a bright side

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Hurry up and pay!

SHOCK news has been given to people using car parks or browsing supermarket shelves that they must pay for such services.

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Drivers queueing to pay for their ticket don't need their blood pressure raised by the person at the head of the queue waiting until a charge is displayed before even starting to fumble through their pockets for a wallet or coins.

Shoppers have it even worse. It always seems to be the person who's spent ten minutes stacking a mountain of goods on the till conveyor belt who only realises money is needed to buy them right at the point of payment.

You see it happen time after time. First the embarrassed apology, then the fumble through a pocket or bag, then a flustered smile followed by a fumble through the right pocket or bag and finally when everyone behind them is losing the will to live – another apology and a sheepish request asking if they can pay by card.

It would be nice if car parks and supermarkets could follow the reverse example of airports and, instead of a fast track, offer such human snails a slow track so the rest of us have a chance to get on with the rest of our lives.

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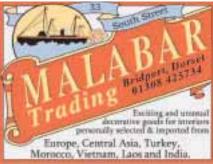
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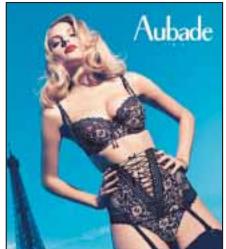


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T shirt Bras always popular at this time of year are flying out at the moment says Shirley, the owner, women want a good shape with no visible seams. We have customers all over the world who have visited Dorchester and been fitted here - now we can post to them and let them know of new ranges that will suit them.

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On Saturday 28th July Harmony Music will be holding their annual one day sale. This is a traditional sale and everything in the shop will be reduced. So don't miss out and you may even win a free guitar if you are the first customer of the day!

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Look your most gorgeous this Summer

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shopping for a gor- into the best fashion geous outfit, for a special occasion or the perfect pair of jeans you'll wear and wear, Yard has got it. Also available are beautiful accessories, shoes, gifts and styling for your home.

The team at Yard make your shopping experience easy and you want to simply browse you will find it relaxed and unintrusive, or if you want an honest opinion they are on hand to guide you

choices. You can even benefit from a wonderful personal shopping experience where Vicki or one of her team will style you in the clothes that suit you best.

Visit Yard for a relaxing and rewarding shopping treat in a luxurious but relaxed environment and browses the gorgeous Summer collection. Key uniquely personal. If pieces this season include coloured skinny trouser or ieans from Amazing Woman, and bright bold colour silk tee, from American Vintage. Our Maison Scotch striped top and Great Plains shirt are also gorgeous and prefect for the new season.

All Yard photographs by **Katherine Louise** O'Donnell









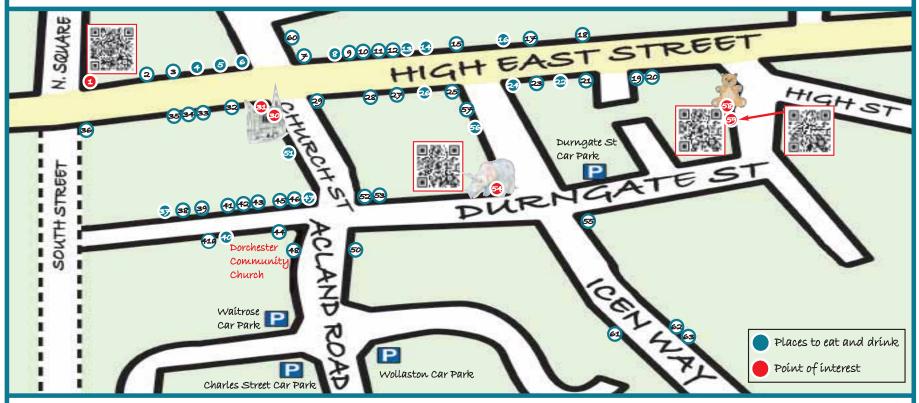
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This week's big screen releases

LIKE most teenagers, Peter Parker (Andrew Garfield) is trying to figure out who he is and how he got to be the person he is today. Peter is also finding his way with his first high school crush, Gwen Stacy (Emma Stone), and together, they struggle with love, commitment, and secrets. As Peter discovers a mysterious briefcase that be-



longed to his father, he begins a quest to understand his parents' disappearance - leading him directly to Oscorp and the lab of Dr Curt Connors (Rhys Ifans), his father's former partner. As Spider-Man is set on a collision course with Connors' alter-ego, The Lizard, Peter will make life-altering choices to use his powers and shape his destiny to become a hero.



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who shares his sense of rage and disenfranchisement.

Crime comedy also starring Mackenzie Brooke Smith, Rich McDonald and Melinda Page Hamilton.

THE HUNTER 15

MARTIN David (Willem Dafoe), a mercenary, is sent from Europe by a mysterious biotech company to the Tasmanian wilderness on a hunt for the last Tasmanian tiger.

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Tinderbox join Stompin' Dave for Sublime Folk

TWO of Dorset's most popular musical acts Tinderbox and Stompin' Dave Allen team up to present a "sublime acoustic concert" at Bridport Art Centre on Wednesday, July 18th.

Original acoustic folk duo Tinerbox feature the "honey-like" vocals of Dublin native Monique Houraghan, and the intricate finger style guitar of Dan Tucker. The Bournemouth based duo were awarded Best European Revelation Group 2010 by Premios Pop-Eye Gala Awards, in Spain, then followed a successful US tour. Their fourth studio album "Counting Time" was released in March this year. Many of the tracks have already enjoyed widespread radio-play and the reviews

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have been stunning. R2 Magabranded the album "Outstanding". BBC's Roger Day described the work "Beautiful" and revered singer-songwriter Johnny Coppin, on his BBC radio show, branded the songs "Fantastic". Tinderbox have a busy summer ahead

with numerous

festivals and concerts, as well as some great supports for legendary artists including Joan Armatrading and Eleanor McEvoy.

Also appearing solo and in collaboration with Tinderbox is local favourite Stompin' Dave Allen. Dave also has a very busy schedule this summer with festival appearances scheduled at Priddy Folk Festival, The Secret Garden Festival, Warwick Folk Festival, The Great Dorset Steam Fair, Didmarton Bluegrass Festival and Bath Folk

Festival among others. Dave said "I'm really looking forward to performing at Bridport Art Centre to support Tinderbox one of my favourite original acoustic duos. Tinderbox performed short spots at some of The Sublime Folk concerts I have organised the last few years and have always impressed. It's a great chance for music fans in west Dorset to hear them take centre stage and play a full set. They are fantastic songwriters and performers. Every time I've seen Tinderbox live I have enjoyed them more. If you love to hear beautiful, superbly crafted songs, then this concert is for vou."

Advance tickets at £10(members £9 on the door) are available from Bridport Art Centre 01308 424204, Buy online at www.bridport-arts.com the music starts at 8pm. For more information on Tinderbox or Stompin' Dave visit www.sublimeacoustic.com



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THE 115 Club have managed to secure for their next week showcase, the eclectic Barbara J Hunt. Perfect vocals accompanied by magical guitar licks, Barbara, with haunting vocals performs soulful tracks, such as "King of my Heart" that she performed in the British Film "Confetti", and as an accomplished songwriter; tracks like "Love never dies" from the film "Killing Bono". Clearly Barbara's voice is equal in quality to one of her

most inspirational individuals, Joni Mitchell.

When Barbara last performed at 115 Club to a packed house, they applauded with huge appreciation, eniovina everv moment of her style and performance. Barbara is a stunning musician, offering soul, folk & a little jazz, with her beautiful vocals lighting up the subtle illumination of the 115 Clubs cellar environ-

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The band's early success of seven consecutive UK Top 40 hits between 1979-81 was testament to their popularity amongst the punk scene then, and with there never having been any division of fan and band, their continued popularity ensured listeners of Steve Lamacg's BBC 6music show voted them 'Punk World Cup winners 2010'.

Watch the UK Subs live at the Electric Palace on Friday 13th July. Tickets are on sale now for £10 from Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 / £12 For door. more details



OUR SPORTING LIFE AT COUNTY MUSEUM

OUR SPORTING LIFE is an exciting new exhibition open now in Dorchester.

Using the themes of land, sea and sky, the exhibition at Dorset County Museum traces the history of Dorset's thriving sports communities, celebrating local heroes and forgotten sporting legends.

Under the first theme, Land, one of the areas being explored is the world of cycling, from road racing to transcontinental treks. A touring bicycle over 100 years old will also be on show. A display dedicated to the heritage of football in Dorset continues the theme – visitors will see a pair of leather football boots from the Second World War and a special trophy, awarded to Dorset Town FC by the Football Association

Fishing and water sports of all kinds are featured within the Sea section of the exhibition. See a sailing dinghy up close in the about the exploits of the 'Crazy Gang' fishing for eels off the rugged cliffs of Portland in the 1970s. There will also be a selection of old fishing rods and reels for the true enthusiast. Open water swimming is also included with photos, cups and medals from winners of open water and even crosschannel swims.

On a fine day with a steady breeze, groups of intrepid paragliders can often been seen flying high above the cliffs and beaches of Dorset. The sport is very popular in this area and visitors to the Museum will find the harness and canopy of a modern paraglider on display together with amazing photographs of the Dorset coast from the air.

Many activities will be available for families and children to enjoy, from table football and table tennis, to organised family

summer - the first, on Wednesday 25 July, will be all about making an Olympic laurel wreath. Other activities - on August 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th - will include making and playing blow football and learning about indoor bowling. These activities take place every Wednesday morning during the school holidays, starting at 10.30am. The cost per child is just £3 and accompanying adults are admitted free.

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Our Sporting Life has been designed to enable communities in Dorset to connect with the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games through inspirational personal stories and unique objects. It is running in various museums across Dorset throughout 2012. The exhibition at Dorset County Museum runs until September 15th 2012.

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- for him (7) 10. I had been in front
- but became lazy (5) 12. It's not bound to be played! (5,5)
- 15. What you face in the teeth of a gale? (6.4)
- 18. Change of heart for one mother (5)
- 19. It's a strain becoming a skilled craftsman (7)
- 21. Short rhyme upheld in Colet (7)
- 22. Yet it might be some quite pedestrian clause (5)

8. Curative treatment

9. Frequenter (7)

12. Ownership (10)

19. Hold spellbound (7)

15. Diligently (10)

18. Leaven (5)

21. Surround (7)

22. Power (5)

10. Kingdom (5)

Quick Clues:

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- 1. Concerning a boy competent and sensible (10)
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- 4. Lack bite? (6)
- 5. A charming thing to wear! (8)
- 6. Understand that lies are wrong (7)
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- 13. For a climber in love? (8)
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- dence (5) 20. Changed rate of weight allowance (4)

1. Deceitfulness (10)

Down

2. Orb (5)

3. Worry (4)

4. Accent (6)

5. Retaliation (8)

6. Diabolical (7)

11. Handle (10)

13. A sacrifice (8)

14. Progress (7)

17. Sediment (5)

20. Subdue (4)

16. Rough (6)

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House sales "a reverse pyramid" says housing spokesman

AS a member of the National Association of Estate Agents, Gordon & Rumsby are kept up-to-date with regular industry newsletters and forums. Changes in legislation affecting the housing market are reported immediately and the NAEA run monthly surveys amongst members to keep track on the ever-changing housing market. Richard Copus is the West Country Regional Executive for the National Association of Estate Agents and recently published the following editorial. This sums up the trend that we are seeing at Gordon & Rumsby this year and so decided to share this piece with readers. I hope you find it interesting.

Julie Gordon

Richard Copus, West Country Regional, says that the housing market has turned into a 'reverse pyramid' which is the main factor influencing slow house sales.

"The normal housing market, which we have known for decades, revolves around young, first time buyers stepping onto the housing ladder for the first time and moving up that ladder as years progress. First time buyers have traditionally formed the bedrock of the market. That situation now is totally reversed.

With first timers like needles in haystacks and an increasingly ageing population, the pyramid has been reversed. We are now seeing the general trend in house sales as top downwards rather than bottom up. Indeed, it can be said that the market really has gone 'bottom up'! This puts pressure on the top end of the market and on house values."

Richard emphasises that this is not a life-changing situation, but it needs a rethink from estate agents and house sellers on how they should value and market their homes.

"The reassuring trend over the last 3 years is that house prices have remained relatively stable with only small ups and downs. The problem at the moment is lack of buyers. Government statistics indicate that residential housing transactions are down 60% from their recent peak in 2007. Down here in the West Country it is more like a half full pint pot.

The pot is half full, rather than half empty, because there is still a slow but steady influx of people relocating from our increasingly congested metropolitan areas and many older people retire down here. Generally speaking, they are selling considerably higher value properties and are prepared to pay for a better lifestyle and environment. What we don't have are thirty-something's on increased incomes itching to buy larger houses and twenty-something's with mortgages filling the gap."

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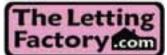
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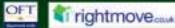






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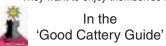
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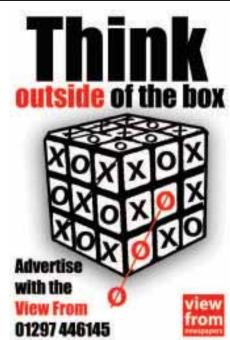
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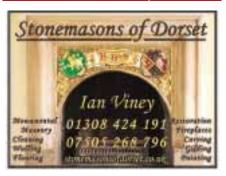


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Citroen redefines option list for distinctive DS5

- No-cost option 17-inch alloy wheels announced for DS5 DStyle & DSport Hybrid4
- New wheel size reduces CO2 emissions from 107g/km to 99g/km & BiK from 12% to 10
- Two new Sport Signature packs available on HDi 160 & THP 200 DStyle & DSport models

CITROËN has announced the availability of a number of new options on selected DS5 models from 2 July, 2012.

New Citroën DS5 is the brand's first production model to feature Hybrid4 full diesel hybrid technology. From July, stylish 17-inch 'Houston' alloy wheels are available as a no-cost option on Hybrid4 DStyle and DSport versions. These smaller diameter alloy wheels reduce the cars' CO2 emissions

from 107g/km to 99g/km - the same as the entry-level DSign Hybrid4 model. At 99g/km both models are exempt from the London congestion charge and the BiK tax rate reduces from 12 to just 10%.

Citroën has also confirmed two new Signature packs for DS5 HDi 160 DStyle & DSport models. The Sport Signature and Dark Sport Signature packs are priced at £650 and bring lowered suspension (by 7mm), black door mir-

rors and grey or black 19-inch 'Cairns' alloy wheels for the Sport Signature and Dark Sport Signature respectively.

On all DS5 THP 200 versions, the striking Dark Sport Signature is now specified as standard - at no extra cost - with the Sport Signature pack available as an alternative no-cost option.

Completing the July changes, New DS5's e-HDi 110 Airdream EGS6 powertrain has been renamed e-HDi 115 Airdream EGS6 to reflect a slight increase in power from 111hp to 114hp. The drivetrain's performance figures, fuel consumption and CO2 emissions are unaf-





Latest UK automotive report shows strong economic and environmental performance

TODAY, UK automotive reported record turnover for the sector, up more than 12% to £55 billion, with exports at record levels and increased investment across the industry. Independent forecasts suggest UK automotive is on course to hit all-time record manufacturing levels by 2015, while manufacturing plants continued to make considerable progress in reducing their environmental impact.

Data from the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders' (SMMT) 13th Annual Sustainability Report showed significant improvements against all key environmental performance indicators, while ensuring sustained investment and growth in manufacturing output.

"Automotive is continuing to lead the country's economic recovery, increasing manufacturing output, delivering record turnover and exporting a greater proportion of cars than ever before, all while reducing our environmental footprint. In a tough economic climate, the automotive sector has continued to perform above expectations, demonstrating the significant role it has to play in a re-balanced economy," said SMMT Chief Executive, Paul Everitt.

"Our industry is at the forefront of

the drive to a low carbon economy attracting investment in the research, development and manufacture of low and ultra-low carbon technologies, creating new jobs and growth opportunities throughout the supply chain and introducing attractive products that are reducing transport emissions as well," he continued.

Today's new report reveals how the automotive industry consistently invests in young people with the latest figures showing a rise of around 12% in engineering apprenticeships in 2011. Initiatives such as See Inside Manufacturing are key to informing young people and their teachers and careers advisers of the rewarding range of engineering careers open to them in automotive. It also motivates young people to consider taking up a STEM subject (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) to ensure UK automotive continues to attract bright and highly-skilled young talent.

To download SMMT's 13th Annual Sustainability Report, go to www.smmt.co.uk/sustainability. To read the latest announcements on investment, manufacturing expansion, new vehicle models and employment within the UK's automotive sector, go to www.smmt.co.uk/investment.

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10 (10) C3 1.6 HDi PICASSO VTR+, blue, £30 rfl	1	4,000	£10,995
10 (10) C3 1.6 HDi PICASSO VTR+, grey, £30 rfl	1	4,000	£10,995
09 (59) C3 1.4 HDi AIRDREAM 5-DR, silver	2	22,000	£6,995
09 (09) NEMO 1.4 HDi MAN 5-DR, blue	1	22,000	£7,995
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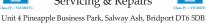








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Russian threat to Blake's golden chances

Dorchester's Paul Blake was beaten into third place in last week's IPC Athletics European Championships at Stadskaanal in Holland.

Although trimming 1.21secs off his world record of 2:08:02, the 22-year-old from Charlton Down was beaten into bronze position by a new Russian athlete Evgenii Shvetcov who won in 2:05:03, and old rival Artem Arefyev who clocked 2:06:19.

The 24-year-old Soviet making his first appearance on the international scene, also denied Blake gold in the 400m, beating the fastest time in the world this year set by Blake only two weeks ago, with Arefyev

However Blake is in no way disheartened by the results and believes it will only spur him on to better

Speaking exclusively with View Sport he said: "It was a really good championship's. Shetchov was new to me; I have never heard of him before; but I am not fazed by him, it only makes me want to try harder."

Despite being beaten by the two Russians in the 800m, Blake is in good spirits. He is pleased with the way he is running; lengthening his stride and achieving a level of relaxation that he wasn't able to find pre-

"Arefyev is great competition, and he is still very much in the picture, but Shvetcov means more competition and that spurs me on. I couldn't have done anymore that I did last week, and was beaten by someone who was better on the day.

"However I won't be changing my training in any way, I will keep doing what I am doing and hopefully get quicker. I believe there is more in me, and I will continue to work hard, and hopefully stay injury free."

He feels now that he can go faster and just needs to concentrate on leg strength. "The Russians are much taller and stronger than me. I think that's what made the difference in the final 60m.

"There is work to do but I've got eight weeks and I'm really looking forward to it. The races are becoming really exciting now that there are three of us within touching distance of each other."

Blake's next competition is the McCain Birmingham Games on 8th July when he will be running the 400m and 800m, with Blake having already met the Team GB standard times, expecting to officially be named in the Team GB Paralympic team the following day.



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Are there any potential county cricketers out there?

DORSET Cricket Board's Cricket Development Director Keith Brewer has asked for all Dorset U13 and U15 Cup Managers to forward details of any players that qualify for a performance award.

Any U13 who has scored 30 or more runs or U15 who has scored 50 or more runs, anyone taking three or more wickets or three or more catches/stumpings can claim a Merit Award for their performance.

Any club who have players that meet any of these criteria is asked to send Keith the players name, the details of the performance, the opponents and the date on which is was achieved.

Silent Woman up next for youth riders

THE SILENT Woman track is the venue for Round 9 of the Hampshire & Dorset Youth Motocross Championship this Sunday (July 8th).

This fast flowing sand track near Wareham is extremely popular with riders and spectators alike and HDYMC are proud to have its exclusive use. Entries will be high with riders advised to book in early to avoid disap-

The 2012 series has now passed the halfway point with riders and bikes alike being pushed to the limit in the quest to earn vital Championship

All groups from the very smallest auto riders through the expert adults will take part in three races each

Getting underway at 10.30am and

over 15 motos, spectators are invited to enjoy the fast paced action for free.

The circuit provides unrivalled viewing points and along with catering facilities, free parking and toilets, this is a must for all motor or action sports enthusiasts.

Club officials and experienced riders are available should you want to discover more about becoming involved with this family friendly and exciting

Visitor riders of any standard are always welcome but must provide a marshal for half the day.

For further details on riding with the club or to book in, please telephone Carla Downton-Jones on 07870 676550 or visit www.hdymc.co.uk for more information.



BOWLS NEWS: Olympics no barrier for tournament

ber of entrants to the 53rd annual Weymouth & Portland Bowls Tournament because of perceived concerns about traffic access and congestion as well as parking and increased accommodation costs during Olympic year, numerous local clubs including those from London, Weston-super-Mare, Bristol and Poole have registered teams.

The tournament, a regular event on the bowling calendar, in fact fall between the end of the Olympics and the commencement of the Paralympics, meaning traffic access to the town and car parks will be open as usual.

In addition the organisers are able to offer entrants car parking vouchers valid at the Swannery and Lodmoor car parks which provide access to the Melcombe Regis and Greenhill club's at a cost of £15 for the week.

The event will be played at the Weymouth and Melcombe Regis, Greenhill and Wellworthy clubs between August 20th and 24th, and will be officially opened by the Deputy Mayor, Ray Banham. The final will be played at Greenhill Bowling Club.

This year the Tournament will take a different format to normal with the introduction of a High 5 Open Classic competition that will be open to teams of five players; men, ladies or

Teams will be drawn into groups with each team in a group playing an inter-group round-robin. Each team will be free to arrange themselves to play two sessions each day.

In their first session each team will play games of singles and rinks, and in their sec-

ond session play pairs and triples. Each day points will be allocated to each team's individual game and overall match result within their group.

The winning teams from each group and

the best overall runners-up from the groups will go through to a knock-out semi-final and final contest.

The remaining teams will be entered into a knock-out Plate Competition requiring teams to arrange themselves to play only pairs and triple contests. For the entry fee of only £6 per player, teams will be guaranteed four days of

Also by popular demand the usual knockout Men's Triples competition will be held each evening, Monday to Thursday with the final scheduled to be played on the Friday Final's Day. Throughout the week, food and refreshments will be available for purchase at each of the greens by competitors and spec-

Sponsorship for this year's tournament is currently being provided by Weymouth & Portland Council; Co-operative Funeral Care; Bluebird Care, Weymouth & West Dorset, and Jenny Andrews, ensuring that all High 5 Open Classic and Plate competition finalists and the Men's Triples finalists will be well rewarded, with prize monies totalling £1,500 at stake on

There are still some vacancies in both the High 5 Open Classic and the Men's Triples competitions, so anyone contemplating entering a team is urged to submit their entry

Olympics coming to the town this year, has proved a deterrent for many of the regular competitors that normally attend from all over the UK.

"This is the reason why the usual straight knock-out Men's Single and Pairs, Ladies Pairs and Mixed Pairs contests have been replaced this year by what we have called the 'High Five Open Classic competition, which has the added incentive that entrants are assured of four days of bowling.

"Prize monies from our sponsors have been forthcoming and we are currently awaiting confirmation from the Kings Hotel Group that they will once again be sponsoring the evening Men's Triples competition as usual."

Entry forms and tournament details have been distributed to the majority of bowling clubs throughout the county, but if additional forms are required they can be requested from Dave Wise on 01305 783470.

Good week for Melcombe Regis

County Division 1- Melcombe Regis A consolidated their second position in the league taking all ten points in a convincing 82-39 victory over Lyme Regis, following a fine win the previous week on all 3-rinks against Dorch-

The rink of George Constant, John Samways, Bob Bover and skip Andy Crawford made a fine early start and continued their excellent control of the game to lead 22-3 at 14-ends, and although Lyme picked up another five they eventually lost the game 32-8.

ley, Doug Plumpton and skip Dave Wise had an early close tussle with Lyme taking a one shot advantage at 5-ends, but the hosts took control to eventually win the game 29–12.

Mike Walker, Roger Skidmore, Howard King and skip Dennis Branney found themselves behind in the early stages but at 16-ends had taken a six shot lead.

However this was wiped out over the next four ends and a tense final end commenced with the score at 19-19.

Bowling his first wood Melcombe were holding shot, and Branney decided to bowl a blocking backhand shot leaving the Lyme skip no choice but to deliver a firing forehand, making connection resulting in what could have been a tight measure for shot.

With his last wood Branney again bowled backhand and drew shot to much applause from the spectators, the tight measure for the second also going in their favour.

County Division 2- Melcombe Regis B won a close encounter with Bridport A 54-51. The Melcombe rink of Steve Baker, Bob Sweetland, Paul Davis and skip Dave Slater retained the lead they had at 18-ends despite a dead end and losing the final two to eventual win 18-

Bridport took an early lead against the rink of Derek Carlyon, Vince O'Leary, Roy Dodwell and skip Colin Smith and managed to hold the lead until the 17th end when Melcombe took a one shot advantage. They then took three of the final four ends to come out as victors 18-13.

The final rink of Fred Amey, Jim Bradley, Vic Mantle and skip Dennis Lawley soon found themselves trailing, but after forteen ends they had succeeded in drawing level.
Two disastrous ends followed however los-

22 DAYS TO GO

ing four shots on each end, and despite winning the final four ends Bridport won the rink 23–18. Overall however Melcombe managed to

win the match by three shots to take eight of the available ten points available. South Dorset League Division 1 - Mel-

combe Regis A beat Dorchester A 63-42, winning two of the three rinks, and taking eight

of the ten points on offer.
Bill Bailey, Dave Slater, Doug Plumpton and skip Bob Bover one shot up after seven, continued to constantly build upon this lead.

The Dorchester rink of Lawley, Smith, Mumford and Roger Nicholas could not respond taking only three shots from the remaining 14 ends giving Melcombe a fine 28–11 shot win.

George Constant, Jim Bradley, Mike Walker and skip Dennis Branney continued the winning form against the Dorchester rink of Ackerman, Fowler, Glanville and Pete Clarke by

winning 21–14 shots.
The last rink of Tony Colton, Paul Davis, Dave Wise and skip Andy Crawford found themselves in an extremely tense match Cox, Stevenson, Joslin and Eddie Young Dorchester holding a one shot lead after 14 ends, who

then picked up a series of one shots.

Despite Melcombe fighting back over the final two ends the Dorchester held on for a 17-14 victory.

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INSIDE: Bowls tournament to proceed despite fears

Terras in good shape

WEYMOUTH FC held their first AGM since new chairman Nigel Biddle-combe purchased the club from George Rolls in January.

The meeting took place at the Bob Lucas Stadium last Saturday where over 60 shareholders attended to hear that their club was in good shape, and unanimously voted the current board a return to office plus the successful nomination of Associate director-

Shaun Hennesey.
The chairman explained that with no minutes available from the previous AGM last December, and the limited information made available to him by Rolls, the club had made best efforts to provide as accurate an account as they could to the meeting, and that the Football Association and the Dorset FA had accepted them as an honest report.

The meeting also passed a proposal with regards to the Community Trust to safeguard the club from sole ownby Stuart Broom

ership in the future by restricting any one person to a maximum sharehold-

The club also confirmed that it had reduced the £60,000 debt they inherited from Rolls to just £5,000.

It also advised the meeting that an agreement had been reached to use the club's car park as a coach park during the Olympic Games.

Clarke joins the Terras

LEWIS Clarke has joined Weymouth after a successful loan spell at the Bob Lucas Stadium last season.

The 18-year-old winger was awarded a full-time professional contract by Yeovil Town after completing a two year scholarship but was released by the

Byerley debacle still unresolved

DESPITE a statement from former Weymouth chairman George Rolls, now acting chairman at Kettering Town that striker Warren Byerley would sign for the Poppies last Saturday, this has not materialised.

It is understood the £2,000 that Weymouth Football Club paid towards Byerley's knee operation immediately following the end of the season, appears to be the sticking point.

Byerley has claimed he will not sign unless the money is repaid to the Ter-

But Rolls is countering that the deal is between the striker and Weymouth and nothing to do with Kettering, and an impasse appears to be holding up the completion of the deal that will net Byerley a reputed £600 a week pay packet plus a generous goal bonus.

New assistant for Portland Town's Price

PORTLAND Town Football Club has announced Loz Tonkin will assist Sunday side manager Dave Price next season.

Tonkin steps in for the outgoing Matt Ramsey who takes a sideways step with the club to take on the role of assistant-manager for the newly formed Portland Town under 14s.
Price said: "I want to welcome Loz as

my assistant. He's proved as a player for the side last season that he's fully committed to the club, and he's knowledge of the game will be invalu-

Price added:"We still have a few places left for experienced players in our Sunday side so anyone interested should contact the club by calling 07595478527."

Portland Town who changed their name recently from Galaxy FC and will be running 10 sides next season have now started pre-season training with sessions taking place at The Grove on Tuesday evenings at 7pm at the cost of £1 per player.



■ WELCOME: Manager Dave Price (right) welcomes Loz Tonkin as his new assistant manager

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